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AUTUMN.

There is a spirit in changing trees, There is a soft, low murmur in my heart, And on the breeze.

Sweet Autumn sheds a gentle influence now The world is clad in beauty and in light; The sunshine shimmers softly through the

And all is bright

Some spirit has made love to every flower That breathes its love out on the passing breeze;

dome magic hand has thrown a witching garb Upon the trees.

From the bright land of dreams. In earth-

ward flight. Some seraph's wing has swept the trees and

Gleams of its light.

Above us bends the silent, cloudless sky, And o'er its depths a lone bird wings its flight;

Seen for a moment-then, like gilded heps, It fades from sight.

The Spirit of the Wind has struck his nap But altered is the music of the lay; The notes are waiting, and the burden is, "Passing away."

We love to linger out. The deep, blue sky Seems nearer now than when the Summer The rustling leaves a melting murmur cast

Upon the ear.

Yes, there is music in the fallen leaves; They breathe the spirit of the mighty Past; They wake a chord in each heart as they

"Bright days fly fast.

A ISCELLAMEOUS.

PARAGRAPHS FROM THE BOSTON POST.

Wade is evidently well satisfied. He says defeat is better than victory.

Secretary Seward's character as a prophet is redeemed. He The Ledy's Friend announces for 1868 the says New York will go Demo- passing his evenings at her house,

Mr. Shively, of Wisconsin, A Woman Had Her Way," &c ; "PLEEING hung himself because his wheat spoiled. The Red Sea is to be drained

> to recover the valuables lost Wendell Phillips says Ohio is

> too selfish to be just and Pennsylvania is always for sale. Wendell Phillips is anxious

President."

The Nation suddenly discovtelligence. He endeavored to more impressive, had put on a false mechanic and the most profund artist. make it up for impudence.

A young man in Madrid quarrelled with the mother of his The getter up of a Club will always re- sweetheat, stabbed her on the spot, cut the girl's throat and let his own life out with the brought to a stand before the screen, ever was produced; the best will that same dagger. Such is a family and told that he had then to confess ever was signed; to be ignorant of it quarrel in Spain.

> Sophy has got a little baby!" Charlie-"Is it a boy?"

Emily-"No, a girl." then I shall have to be a nasty all the crimes he had ever committed. sage.

A negro in Richmond ordered tled, and he shook his horns in the a first-class funeral for a deceas- face of the terrified candidate, who ed brother voter, but having starting back in slarm, cried out: nothing with which to pay for the display, is now in jail for ob- taining goods under false pre- couple of t t-times!"

"Hold on, M-m-m-ister D-d-devil; terpreter.

If I m-must t-t-tell you, I d-did k k-kiss terpreter.

It encounts the swift, ises an eter tences.

> SULLING & MOSON Lants These 25

Internal revenue officers made large seizures of whisky and

hardly fold what they seize, Abbey, nameless and dateless: their hands are so full.

negro suffrage plank from its platform, is it not in danger of ing can be added to it. becoming a Conservative party -the thing it 'loathes' far more

than it loves liberty? A "military order" has been promulgated at Greenboro', N. ver who presumed to run a line nishes the judge with his sentence.

It sets the husband as lord of the ernment contractor.

Bes Guilt is always jealous.

A good conscience is the best

There is one thing above many n this life to try men more than any burials. other. It is a-jury.

It is better to keep your tem per than to let other people have it.

WHY is a chemist the wittiest man in the world?

usually rejects it with indignation. The marriages in Chicago now almost equal the divorces-which is en-

CUP CAKE .- One cup butter beaten soda dissolved in the milk, add a little extract of lemon; bake one hour.

WHAT a queer fellow the Frenchman must have been, who for twenty years loved a lady and never missed

"HOLD ON, DEVIL."-In the early days of the State of Indiana, the capital was Corydon, and the annual session of the General Assembly usually brought together as wild a set of mad wags as could be found in the State, a little green, and take them through the way from everlasting death.

On one of these occasions, it being was published. places Ohio is the last he should ton, was to be initiated, the room was wars. crowded. Judge Grass (it being a It describes the celestial, terrestial ers that Ben. Wade lacked in- of the Devil, and, to make the services and devilish legions. face and a large paper cap surrounded It teaches the best rhetorician, and

After taking the candidate through was agreed on; the best deed that was hope. s. variety of ceremonies, he was ever sealed; the best evidence that all the crimes he had committed duris to be destitute of wisdom. shook his chains. The frightened the learned man's masterpiece. Charlie— (fretfully) — "Oh, candidate related some other small It contains a choice grammar for a At this the groans of the pretended "Hold on, M-m-m-ister D-d-devil; ings for the grave, and is its own in-

The groaning ceased.

Who composed the following de tobacco establishments in New scription of the Bible we may never York on Saturday. They can know. It was found in Westminister

A nation would be truly happy if If the radical party rips up the than those of this blessed book. it were governed by no other laws It is so complete a system that noth-

> It contains everything needful to be known or done.

It affords a copy for a king, and a rule for a subject.

thority and direction to a magistrate. who if ever possessed of any other It cautions a witness, requires an C., "suppressing" a coach dri- impartial verdict of a jury, and fur-

househould, and wife as mistress of to the farmers of South Jersey. The the table - tells him how to rule, and last business visit he made to that secher how to manage.

It entails honor to parents and en-Things unreasonable are never joins obedience to children. It prescribes and limits the way of

the sovereign, the rule of the ruler, the payment of and the authority of the mastercommands the subjects to honor, and Let another's shipwreck beyour the servants to obey, and promises the blessing and protection of the Almighty to all that walk by its rules. It gives direction for weddings and

> It promises food and raiment, and limits the use of both.

It points out a faithful and eternal his widow is to trust, and promises a

THE physically blind thanks you house in order, and how to make his for your guidance; the mentally blind will; it appoints a dowry for his wife, his dismay saw the inevitable bar once and entails the right of the first born, more before him. Looking around and shows how the younger branches shall be left.

It defends the rights of all, and re-veals vengeance of every defaulter, ried up his pace to the gate, paid a over-reacher and oppressor. It is the first book, the best book, and made a special request of the gate-

and the oldest book in the world. to a cream, two cups light sugar, four It contains the choicest mattereggs beaten separate, three cupsflour, gives the best instruction—affords the following him two or three miles. one cup sweet milk, one teasponful greatest pleasures and satisfaction that were ever enjoyed.

the inquiring and disconsolate.

It is a brief recital of all that is to

come. It settles all matters in debate, resolves all doubts, eases the mind and conscience of all their scruples. It reveals the only living and true

God, and shows the way to him, and should play the wooer to the parents sets aside all other gods, and describes of the bride. He frequently goes to who had to rely upon their own re- the vanity of them, and all that trust them and says sources for amusement, for there were in such; in short, it is a book of laws, then few theatres, concerts, or shows. to show right and wrong; a book of suppose you have nothing much wisdom, that condemns all folly and against it, and that it will suit you?" These lovers of mischief had estab- makes the foolish wise; a book of truth lished a mock Masonic Lodge, into that detects all lies and confutes all orate fashion, as in the case of the which they would entice such as were errors; and a book of life, that shows

It is the most compendous book in look out, and then began: a variety of ridiculous ceremonies, to the world, the most authentic and the for somebody to "throttle the the infinite amusement of the crowd. most entertaining history that ever

It is really of no consequence understood that a good-natured, ath-where Stanton is, but of all letic young man, about half a simplecurrences, heroic deeds, unparalleled

> character in which he was peculiarly and infernal worlds, and the origin of giving her more than a hundred happy) had consented to act the role the angelic myriads, human tribes, pounds.' It will instruct the accomplished

> > wisest critic. It is the best covenant that ever

ing his whole life. The candidate It is the king's best copy, the magisconfessed some trivial offences, and trate's best rule, the housewife's best Emily-"Charlie, dear sister declared that he could recollect no guide, the servant's best directory, more. At this the Judge came out and the young man's best companion; from his hiding place, groaned and it is the schoolboy's spelling book, and

> matters, and declared he had disclosed novice, and a profound mystery for a It is the ignorant man's dictionary

and the wise man's directory. It affords knowledge of witty inventions for the humorous, and dark say-

the swift, the overcomer; and prom- made seven thousand feet of inch ises an eternal reward to the excellent, boards, clear stuff.

the conqueror, the winner, and the prevalent. And that which crowns in is, that the author is without partia ity, and without hypocrisy-

" n whom there is no variableness or shadow of turn ng."

ABOUT DRIVING MULES .- Most every one is familiar with the mode of driving (?) a drove of young mules .-It is on the inverse system. The drover buys up from fifty to a hundred young, unbroken mules, and mounted on a brood mare, they follow after the same as do sheep the bellwether of a flock. For a great many years an old It gives instruction to a Senate, au- trader familiarly called "Old Sol"patronymic had probably forgotten the fact—was in the habit of bringing in from the West a drove of the longeared animals and disposing of them tion was about the time the turnpike mania raged, and a single bar was stretched across nearly every public road, to pass beyond which required

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For every dozen of horses, mules or cattle, six cents. "Old Sol" had passed something guardian to the departing husband like two dozen of these bars on his and father-tells him with whom to way from Camden to Bridgeton, payleave his fatherless children and whom ing the legal exaction at each under Because he has a retort for almost father to the former, and a husband to Not having disposed of a single mule, protest and in very profane language. and drawing nigh the end of a long It teaches a man how to set his journey, he was beginning to suffer from a drouth in his pocket, and to and finding his mules were leisurely browsing along the road some two or

> those darned mules which had been "Certainly," said the accommodating keeper, who had it locked in It contains the best laws, and most less time than it takes to tell it. "Old profound mysteries that ever were pen- Soi" started off again on a brisk canned-it brings the best of comforts to ter, which his mules soon imitated, and as they came to the gate bar went It exhibits life and immortality from over it in one, two, and three order, everlasting, and shows the way to to the astonishment of the keeper, who saw the point of the joke in a few minutes after, and acknowledged himself"dead beat."

single toll for the horse he was riding,

keeper to shut it after him and stop

How the Swiss Make Matches .- It is the general custom in Berne, says a Swiss writer, that the lover's father "My lad likes your daughter. I

Or sometimes he goes in more elabfather who knocked one evening late at a window, begged the old people to "It is God's will that my boy and

your girl should come together. I have had to make up my mind to it, and so will you; but I should like to ask what dower you mean to give her -about a thousand pounds, I fancy?" "I approve the match," returned the other party; "but I can't think of

"You don't mean it?" said the other. "Indeed I do; not one half penny

more, and even that is too much.' Then replied the former, "It is not with horns, and with some chains in exercises every power of the most God's will that the two should come his hand placed himself behind a skillful arithmetician, and puzzles the together. The Lord's purposes are unfathomable, and his ways past finding out. Good-night. No offence, I

Quite the reverse," said the other, and quietly closed the window.

A LITTLE girl who had been visiting in the family of a neighbor, hearing them speak of her father being a widower, on her return home addressed him thus:

"Pa, are you a widower?" "Yes, my child. Don't you know your mother's dead?" "Why, yes. I knew mother was dead; but you always told me you was a New Yorker."

An elm tree was cut down last week in Geauga county, Ohio, which experts pronounce seven hundred and ninety-two years old. The tree terpreter. weighed sixty thousand pounds, and It encourages the wise, the warrior, was over four feet in diameter, and